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white lingerie over lavender. Mrs. White wore her wedding gown of white duchesse satin with trimmings of real lace and pearls. Mrs. Edwin West wore hand-embroidered multi-colored tulle. Mrs. Charles P. Johnson wore white silk with satin stripe. Mrs. John White, light blue crêpe de chine; Mrs. J. H. James, white lace over lavender; Miss White, cream cloth. Others who assisted in receiving were Miss Brown, Miss Morgan, Miss Welsinger and Misses Wheeler Moore, A. L. Morgan, A. L. Pott, J. H. Bradford, J. P. Brown and B. G. Snyder.

**Alumnae Meeting.**  
This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock a particularly interesting meeting of the Alumnae Association of the Woman's College of this city will be held. The address will be made by Miss McCorkle, of the W. C. A., to be followed by an informal reception, the senior class and members of the W. C. A. of the college being the guests. Those receiving will be the officers of the association—Mrs. J. L. Epps, Mrs. M. A. Turpin, Mrs. David Brown, Mrs. C. S. Fennom, Miss Louise Thompson, Mrs. Miriam Miller and Mrs. R. E. Gaines, chairman of reception committee. The tea table will be presided over by Mrs. F. D. Epps and Mrs. C. E. Winston, assisted by Miss Irene Galeski, Miss Virginia Roberts, Miss Belle Gayle, Miss Carrie Williamson and Mrs. C. B. McDonald.

**Croton—Robinson.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Dabney Robinson, of King William Courthouse, announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sophie Chapman, to Dr. William Edwards Croton, of King William county. The wedding will take place late in December at Jerusalem Church.

A very enjoyable surprise party was given in honor of Miss Josephine Zelus, of Highland Park, Friday, November 26. The party arrived at the home of Miss Zelus about 8:30, after which they engaged in a nut hunt and other games. The prizes of the nut hunt were awarded to Miss Virginia Carroll and Wilbur Franck. At a late hour refreshments were served, and about 10:30 the party dispersed after spending a very pleasant evening.

Among those present were: Misses Ada Lewis, Helen Kelleher, Mary Gordon, Mary Kelleher, Madeline Putze, Goldie Miller, Anne Robertson, Josephine McDonald, Emily and Josephine Zelus, Virginia Carroll, Irene Lewis, Josephine Winsor, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Fraude and Mrs. Fowler; Leon G. Stevens, John W. Higginson, Russell E. P. Fletcher, Jr., H. G. Hotz, H. G. Hotz, Thomas Graves, H. R. Fisher, H. Wilbur Franck, Edgar L. and Joseph Zelus, William J. Manning, John Fraude and Fred Greenstreet, Penner—Murphy.

A very pretty event was solemnized in the parlor of Mrs. George T. Dand 14 West Clay Street, by the Rev. Geo. W. Jones, pastor of Clay Street Methodist Episcopal Church, when Miss Elizabeth Murphy and Howell V. Penner, both of this city, were married. The ceremony was quiet and only attended by the relatives and a few intimate friends of the contracting parties. The bride was attired in a traveling suit of gray, with gloves to match, and a black hat trimmed with ostrich plumes. The bride's sister, Miss Nettie Murphy, acted as maid of honor, the bride being given away by her brother, M. R. Murphy. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for their home, 727 West Clay Street.

**At the Woman's Club.**  
W. B. Hill's recital at the Woman's Club yesterday afternoon was a very delightful and pleasing affair, as was attested by the brilliant audience. Mr. Hill has a beautiful voice, and sings artistically. Not in the least of his charms is the distinctness of his enunciation, and he responded to several encores, as did also Mrs. Hequembourg, who received a very warm reception on her return to the city. Mrs. R. Ford proved herself a delightful accompanist.

**Mrs. Sue Buck and Miss Ella Buck** will leave to-morrow night for New York.

**Midshipman R. Stanley Robertson, Jr.** is on his ten days' visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Robertson, of Woodland Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Forest Hill, are spending some time with friends in Pennsylvania.

Miss Eleanor Townsend, who has been the guest of Mrs. James Caske for the past week, will return to Philadelphia this noon.

Mrs. Edward Riddick and Misses Alys and Dorothy Wood, of Norfolk, spent several days last week in this city.

Miss Nell Potts returned last evening from Old Point.

Miss Nellie Tabb, who was one of the attendants at the Boshier-Smith wedding on Saturday, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Miss Gertrude Carpenter, of Washington, is visiting Miss Lulu Schmidt, on Grove Avenue.

Miss Virginia Vaughan, of Warren, and Miss George Latham Cooke, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. J. S. Latham, 13 North Fifth Street.

Mrs. John Quinlan, who has been quite sick, is now slightly improved.

Mrs. Benjamin W. Coleman, of Ely, Nevada, is a guest for several days of her sister, Mrs. W. L. French, at her home, 418 North Tenth Street.

Mrs. John Kuhn, of Ellicott City, Md., has returned to her home after a visit to friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Marion Wilson Robertson, of Portsmouth, is the guest of Mrs. Sydney Strother Smith, of Forest Hill.

Mrs. J. H. Bradley, who has been undergoing treatment for the treatment for the Sisk, is slightly improved and has returned to her home, 301 East Grace Street.

John T. Enright, Jr., and bride, formerly Miss Rose Moser, of Norfolk, are the guests of the former's mother, 204 North Twentieth Street.

Mrs. F. R. Jeffers, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. P. Pointer, for the past several days, has returned to the city.

## OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

BY VIRGINIA WESTOVER.  
Correspondents are requested to send communications on subjects in which they are interested and regarding which they desire information to the Editor of the Woman's Page.

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The meeting of the Texas Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be held December 10-14 at Brentwood.



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## Athletic Dancing

MISS PLEASANTS WILL OPEN a class for ATHLETIC DANCING AT THE RALEIGH for ladies, on

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508 E. FRANKLIN STREET.

wood, Tex. In the meantime, to every chapter of the Texas Daughters has gone an earnest protest from Miss Julia A. Dunham, former president of the State Division, and from Mrs. Margaret L. Watson, historian of the division, in the form of a printed circular letter. This letter bears upon the action of the general U. D. C. convention regarding the Boyer prize essay and the Columbia University scholarship fund. It embodies press reports of an appeal made by Miss Dunham before the convention for the abolition of prize essay and scholarship fund, and mentions the action taken on the Boyer essay and that resulting in the withdrawal of contributions to the Columbia College scholarship.

It is easy to see from this trumpet call that the meeting will be filled with interest for the Daughters in Virginia and other Southern States, who, like the Texas women, are opposed to the action of the general convention.

Richmond women who were present at the reception given Friday by Mr. Osborn at the meet of the Tomahawk Hunt Club, on East Broad Street, had a merry time following the music of the hounds and enjoying Mr. Osborn's abundant hospitality. Miss Wardell Crenshaw, of Richmond, was one of the riders, and remained over this week to take part in additional meets during the ideal autumn season. Many hunters from clubs surrounding Orange and from upper Virginia, joined the Tomahawk Club on Friday and Saturday last.

Richmond women in general are interested in an entertainment to be given Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, by the circle of King's Daughters. "In the Service of the King," at the home of Mrs. Emmett Dickinson, on East Broad Street. The King's Daughters are specially active here and throughout the State at this season, each having a plan individually outlined plan leading up to achievement in work.

There is an American debutante of this season in whom widespread interest is felt, and who has unusual advantages and opportunities, even for an American girl. This young lady is Miss Margaret Rutherford, of New York, daughter of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, and stepdaughter of her husband. She is said to be petite and slender, with soft dark eyes and a very fresh complexion, an accomplished linguist and a graceful dancer, and, withal, very sweet and girlish in her ways. It is expected that Miss Rutherford's debut will take place in January, and that the grand Vanderbilt mansion on Fifth Avenue, New York, will be thrown open for the first time in years to do brilliant honor to the occasion. Miss Rutherford's aunts, Mrs. Havemeyer and Mrs. Olin, and her uncles, the Harrimans, are even now planning to have her in New York and Alken. S. C. W. K. Vanderbilt's beautiful country home, Idle Hour, Long Island, will also be thrown open for week-end parties and country outings, and Baltimore, near Asheville, N. C., the splendid home of George Vanderbilt, will also be thrown open for the disposal of Miss Rutherford and the young friends accompanying her in her merry-making expeditions.

**Anderson—Rayfield.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
PARKSLEY, VA., November 28.—Miss Margaret Alice Maude Rayfield, of Parksley, youngest daughter of the late Major and Mrs. Mary E. A. Rayfield, and Harry Tydings Anderson, of Baltimore, were married in Philadelphia Saturday morning. Father Fisher, of St. John's Church, performed the ceremony. The marriage was a quiet one, owing to the recent death of the bride's mother.

**Shelton—Fowler.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
CHAPLHAM, VA., November 28.—Miss Mary O. Towler and Walter L. Shelton were quietly married at the home of Rev. W. B. Bates, Thursday afternoon. The ceremony took place in the parlor of the home of the groom, near Whitesville, where they will reside.

**Raines—Bassett.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., November 28.—E. Lee Raine and Miss Nellie S. Bassett, both of this county, were married a few days ago at Matthews Chapel, Rev. W. Williams officiating. Miss Bertha Bassett was maid of honor and Clarence Raine best man.

**Pannill—Jacobs.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., November 28.—William L. Pannill and Miss Emma C. Jacobs, of Orange county, were married Thursday at the residence at Orange Courthouse, where Rev. W. B. Stedson, who performed the ceremony.

**Davis—Jarvis.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., November 28.—Charles Davis and Miss Rachel Jarvis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jarvis, of Matthews county, were married Thursday at Beulah Church, in that county, Rev. George E. Thomas officiating.

**Edmonds—Savage.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
WACHAPREAGUE, VA., November 28.—Miss Margaret Savage, daughter of Captain and Mrs. R. D. Savage, and Harry Edmonds, both of this place, were married Saturday evening at the home of the bride's brother, H. Gordon Savage, in Philadelphia.

**Brown—Barber.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., November 28.—Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Barber, of this city, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Edith Barber, George Brown, of Philadelphia, Pa., the wedding to take place in the near future.

**NEW RELIEF PLAN**  
Firemen to Model Benevolent Association After Police Plan.

At a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners and members of the Firemen's Relief Association, held in the City Hall last night, a tentative plan of relief, patterned after the Police Benevolent Association, was effected. The plan was drawn up, and will be printed and distributed to the members of the association and other active members of the association for ratification.

Among those present were the Chief of the Fire Department, three captains, the Commonwealth's Attorney, the City Attorney, L. Z. Morris, president of the Police Benevolent Association; James N. Boyd and John H. Frischkorn, former president of the Board of Fire Commissioners. The present form of insurance benefit among the firemen has been found to be unsatisfactory, and it is proposed that firemen follow the plan of police men, who pay to their association and are retired on a certain percentage of the salary received.

**FALLS TWO STORIES**

M. A. Tatum, 14-year-old boy at Commonwealth Club, but 14 Not Badly Hurt  
M. A. Tatum, a carpenter, living at 705 Randolph Street, fell two stories yesterday afternoon from the addition being built in the rear of the Commonwealth Club.

When picked up, Tatum revealed no broken bones, so far as could be determined by Dr. Womack, of the city ambulance corps, and his only wounds were a severely bruised body. He was taken home. The physician does not think that he is badly hurt.

Clifford Snyder, of 1014 Randolph Street, also needed a little help. Snyder's car, he fell out of a delivery wagon and out his forehead. Dr. Womack took two stitches in the wound.

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hitting the sale of any save dressed or live poultry. The measure was highly indorsed by the clerks of both markets.

Alderman James A. Moncure was elected subcommittee of the Committee on Markets, to succeed John L. Satterfield, resigned. John M. Spence was elected as a member of the committee, and assigned to the subcommittee on First Market.

Building Inspector Beck presented drawings for the stalls for the new market house, under the Blues' Armory, at Sixth and Marshall Streets, the estimated cost being \$13,500. The plans were recommended to the Council for adoption.

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to the attention of the Committee on Markets last night the practice which has recently obtained in the Richmond markets of selling undressed towels, which, he claimed, was both unhealthy and dangerous. It developed from the debate that there had once been an ordinance against the practice, but that it had been repealed at the instance of a number of wholesale commission merchants.

The matter was referred to a subcommittee, consisting of Messrs. Moncure, Hirschberg and Rogers, to confer with the Chief Health Officer, and if necessary report an ordinance prohibiting the sale of undressed towels.

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